

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND**

**TYRAN DOBBS,**

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**Plaintiff,**

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**v.**

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**Civil Action No. 18-cv-339-RDB**

**SGT. THOMAS TOWNSEND, *et al.*,**

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**Defendants.**

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**JOINT STATUS REPORT**

The undersigned counsel hereby report on the status of the instant litigation as follows:

**1. Discovery:**

Factual discovery has been completed. The parties have agreed, with the consent of this Court, to postpone expert discovery until such time as any dispositive pretrial motions have been decided.

**2. Pending Motions:**

There are no motions pending before the Court at this time.

**3. Dispositive Motions:**

Plaintiff does not anticipate the filing of any dispositive motions at this time. The named Defendants will be filing a dispositive motion(s) within this Court's designated deadline.

**4. Trial:**

Plaintiff has requested that this matter be tried by a jury. It is anticipated that this case will necessitate approximately four days of trial time.

**5. Settlement Discussions and Consent for Referral to Settlement or ADR Conference:**

No settlement discussions have been conducted between the parties.

Plaintiff would like to participate in a settlement conference. Defendants have advised the Plaintiff that they would consider requesting referral for a settlement or ADR conference after their dispositive motion have been resolved.

**6. Consent to transfer this matter to another judge:**

There is not universal consent among the parties to conduct further proceedings before a Magistrate Judge.

**7. Other Matters:**

There are no other outstanding matters at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2018, a copy of the foregoing  
Joint Status Report was sent by electronic mail and mailed, postage prepaid, to:

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